

MOUNTAINS RECREATION & CONSERVATION AUTHORITY

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Elizabeth Cheadle, Chairperson Joseph T. Edmiston, FACIP, Executive Director Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy 5750 Rarnirez Canyon Road Malibu, California 90265

Request for Budget Augmentation for Grant No. SMM-0485

Dear Ms. Cheadle and Mr. Edmiston:

On behalf of the Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority (MRCA), I request that the Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy consider a small augmentation of Grant No. SMM-0485, the Pacoima Wash acquisition project, in the amount of \$1,858.34. The total grant amount would then total \$561,858.34. At the time of the original grant application to the Conservancy, the MRCA did not anticipate having to make an \$8,000 relocation payment to a tenant on the Pacoima Wash parcel, and in a recent review of end-of-fiscal year projects, MRCA found that its expenses exceeded the amount of the grant by \$1,858.34.

Please call Cara Mclane or Jeff Jones of the MRCA staff if you should have any questions regarding this request to consider the grant augmentation.

Sincerely

Michael D. Berger Chairperson